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The Meaning of Municipal and Public Works Construction

Sometimes contractors, permit offices, and awarding authorities are confused about what is covered under the classification of Municipal and Public Works Construction.

A look at the Louisiana Contractor's Licensing Law (La. R.S. 37:2150-2192) indicates the types of projects that are included in Municipal and Public Works Construction projects (37:2156.2) are:

Filter plants and water purification

Pipe work (sewer)

Pipe work (waterlines)

Sewer plant or sewer disposal

Landscaping, grading, and beautification

Pipe work (gas lines)

Pipe work (storm drains)

Power plants

Underground electrical conduit installation

Fencing

In other words, Municipal and Public Works Construction includes the infrastructure for municipal water, sewer, storm drain and gas systems, as well as power plants and underground electrical conduits. If landscaping or fencing must be removed or installed in order to perform this work, the landscaping or fencing is also included.

If any contractor, permit office, or awarding authority needs any further clarification, please contact this office.

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